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Title: METHOD OF MANUFACTURING MAGNETIC
MATERIALS, AND RIBBON-SHAPED MAGNETIC
MATERIALS, POWDERED MAGNETIC MATERIALS
AND BONDED MAGNETS

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Hon. Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks
Washington, D.C. 20231

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Sir:

Prior to the examination of this application, please amend it as follows:

IN THE CLAIMS

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Claim 3. (AMENDED) The method as claimed in claim 2, wherein the outer surface layer of the cooling roll is formed of a material having a heat conductivity lower than a heat conductivity of the structural material of the roll base at or around room temperature.

Claim 4. (AMENDED) The method as claimed in claim 2, wherein the outer surface layer of the cooling roll is formed of a ceramic.

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